

# Holt County Sentinel.

Oregon, Missouri.

FRIDAY MORNING, NOV., 2, 1886.

## The Right Ticket.

Here is the ticket nominated by the various Radical conventions, and which is to be voted by the Radicals of this county, who stick to their party, on Tuesday next, November 6th. Radicals, see that your tickets read as follows, that no names have taken the place of these, and you may be sure you are right:

## Radical Union Ticket.

For State Superintendent,

T. A. PARKER.

For Congress, 7th District,

BENJAMIN F. LOAN.

For State Senator, 1st District,

COL. DAVID BONHAM, of Andrew.

## County Ticket.

For Representative,

IRA C. BUZICK.

For Sheriff,

ALBERT ROECKER.

For Circuit Clerk,

EDGAR L. ALLEN.

For County Clerk,

WARREN B. DAVIS.

For Treasurer,

W. H. STERRETT.

For Superintendent of Public Schools,

STEPHEN BLANCHARD.

For Supervisor of Registration,

GEO. W. BASKINS.

For County Judges,

GEORGE P. KEELS,

SOLOMON LEHMER,

GEORGE MCINTYRE.

For Assessor,

JOHN INGRAM.

For Coroner,

A. J. EVANS.

For Justices of the Peace,

For Constable,

## The Circuit Attorneyship.

There being some doubt as to whether under the operation of the law, the office of Circuit Attorney was to be filled at the ensuing election, the Governor addressed a letter of inquiry to the Judges of the Supreme Court, who have decided that it is not to be so filled. Upon this decision, Mr. HARRINGTON, who was announced in our paper as a candidate in opposition to Mr. PARKER, authorized us to withdraw his name; and we believe now it is the understanding that there will be no race for Circuit Attorney in this district. The names of both the above named gentlemen were ordered printed on the tickets before the decision of the Supreme Judges was received.

## Correction.

The report circulated in some localities that many of the contributions to our paper in the few weeks past were written by Mr. BUZICK, is incorrect. Mr. B. has written nothing for the paper except what has been published over his own name. The articles are but a faithful reflection of the sentiments of the voters of the county, and from such they have emanated, without the previous knowledge of Mr. BUZICK. It may be proper to add, also, that none of the writers are candidates for office.

## Candidates' Oath.

The tenth section of the second article of the New Constitution says: "Oaths must be filed by candidates for a State civil office in the office of the Secretary of State; by a candidate for either House of the General Assembly in the clerk's office of the county court of the county of his residence or in that county where the vote of the District is required by law to be cast up and the certificate of election granted; by a city or town officer in the office where the archives of such city or town are kept; and in all other cases in the office of the clerk of the county court of the county of the person's residence. The candidates' oath must be filed within fifteen days next preceding every election."

GO TO THE POLLS ON TUESDAY NEXT, VOTE THE STRAIGHT TICKET, AND THEREBY KEEP A CLEAN RECORD!

See that your neighbor's ticket is "regular."

## Can't Please Everybody.

There are no doubt some who do not relish the decidedly radical support which this paper gives the regular Radical ticket of the county. They should remember, however, that while one man may be displeased with it, ten others earnestly endorse its course. In this matter, it is not a reflection of the editor's sentiments alone, but an earnest spontaneous vindication from honest men of the party, who have rights and views which they cannot be blamed for maintaining.

Issues which have recently been created, and the attempt of dissenters to divide our party, have clearly pointed out to us our duty. Before this danger of division arose, before any one dreamed of "treason in the camp," it was considered not improper to express any individual opinions which men may have entertained respecting the nominees, but when there is an attempt made to ignore the action of the people of the county, trample their work under foot, and by a forcible usurpation disregard their voice, and this through no other motive than, as some declare, self-interest, the friends of the party are left but one course. Having cooperated with a majority, almost unanimous, of the radicals of the county, in bringing out the ticket, and that in a manner the fairness of which no one questioned, we are, in common with all others who participated in a like manner, impelled from a sense of duty and a tenacity for principle, to go to its rescue. That we are right, may not be clearly evident to some, yet in time will be fully appreciated by all. Let those who mistake our motives, divest themselves for a short time of their self-interest, which they say releases them from honorable obligations, brush away the parasitic, man-worshipping notions which cling to them, obstructing their old foggy vision like so many cob webs, and they will be better enabled to see why we adhere to the nominations of the party.

We do not work miracles. Had we the power, we might possibly be capable of pleasing everybody. As it is, we endeavor to be guided in our action by principle and decent consistency, bowing to no human power, save the sovereign will of the people.

The independent candidate for Representative, Mr. KAUCHER, is a gentleman towards whom, personally, we entertain no unfriendly feelings. We regard him, as we ever have, as a gentleman of undoubted integrity, and an efficient officer in his present capacity. But we regret exceedingly, that he should have been induced to take the step he has—one we regard as imprudent and injurious alike to himself and to the party, an undertaking in which to wish him success, would not be even the duty of a friend.

## VOTE ON PRINCIPLE. BOLLERS SAY THEY ARE PROMPTED BY SELF-INTEREST.

### How it Looks to Others.

We take the following from the St. Joseph Union of the 30th. It gives an idea of the way our political affairs appear abroad:

Ira C. Buzick, the regular nominee of the Radicals of Holt county, is announced for speeches every day this week. He invites the independent candidate, William Kaucher, to meet him. Dr. A. J. Evans, who has also been announced as an independent candidate against Mr. Buzick, withdraws in a published letter from the race, in favor of Mr. Buzick. The card of the Dr. announcing his withdrawal, is a highly patriotic document. The canvass in Holt county is growing warm. On one side is the regular nominee who was placed in nomination by a fair open Convention. On the other hand is a gentleman, who is also a Radical, but who was not nominated by the Convention. He has seen fit to run against the nominee of his party, and while as a private citizen he is a gentleman above reproach, we cannot desire his election. Let the Radicals of Holt county sustain their nominees. It is the only way to ensure the success of Radical principles.

Voters be on your guard, the copperheads and independent men are resorting to every device within their power to defeat the regular nominees. Spurious tickets are out, gotten up in every conceivable manner, to lead voters astray. Watch them, read the whole ticket through and see that it is right. Be not deceived by tricksters, in this, the greatest privilege of an American citizen.

## For the SENTINEL.

Voters of Nodaway and East Lewis Precincts, Read This!

The cry of ineligibility is abandoned. It never had a foundation in fact. The hue and cry now, is the railroad. It is said that it is proposed by the railroad company, to change the present route as established by law and by contract, and by a vast amount of labor done through the most populous and profitable part of the county, and adopt a way by Hickory Creek to North Point through a part of the county uninhabited, and comparatively uninhabitable. In order to do this, the company will forfeit the amount of money still to be paid by the county, as well as that which has already been paid, will violate a contract by which they are bound to make Oregon a point, will damage their own interests in deserting the part of the county which will make the business of the road more profitable. Who ever heard of a railroad doing such a thing as that? These companies are as watchful of their immediate interests as private individuals are ever known to be. It is not at all likely that the route will ever be changed. But if it is changed, it will not be for the Hickory Creek route.

Bear this in mind, if ever a change of route is made, it will be to take the road directly along the Missouri river to Forest City. That is now the proposition, and a vast sum of money and peculiar advantages are offered to the company to do so. Forest City is deeply interested in this scheme, which will be the ruin of Oregon. The idea of the road ever going by Hickory Creek is the wildest, most delusive and silly that ever yet was proclaimed to a confiding people. The real danger is that the way by Oregon will be entirely abandoned, and that by the Missouri river and Forest City adopted. How then does it look for Radical citizens of Oregon to conspire with the conservatives of Forest City, to defeat Mr. Buzick, the regular nominee, when it is well known that Mr. B's interests are more directly in Oregon than in Forest City? Mr. Buzick has no interest in the bottom route, while Mr. Kaucher has. How darkly, deeply, beautifully blue will some citizens of Oregon look when they find they have cut their own throats, by playing into the hands of Forest City, by voting for Mr. Kaucher. In these remarks no mention has been made of the duty of Radicals to stand by the regular ticket. That alone should induce every man to vote for Mr. Buzick, whether he likes him or not.

MOUND CITY, Mo., Oct. 29, 1886.

ED. SENTINEL: A report has been freely circulated in this vicinity, (framed by broken down aspirants,) that Mr. Buzick opposed the adoption of the new Constitution. This I beg leave to deny. I was acquainted with Mr. Buzick before that election, and heard him advocate its adoption; furthermore, on the day of the election he was very active in writing tickets and electioneering for its support. This, Mr. Editor, is their last resort, but they can't shove it down Benton Township's throat. True Radicals are not going to pay any attention to their fabrications. When I say *their*, I mean the copperheads, conservatives, men who weak-kneed, sore-headed, broken-down, Union men—have fallen from their once high position—men who have come out against the Radical nominees for office, and look for conservatives to elect them. They say they don't ask the conservative support, but if you could look into their hearts, you would see this, their only hope.

Now, Radicals of Holt, are we going to countenance these men, and give them our support? Never, I say. Drop them like a dog would a hot potato, and remember them in the future. A man that will do as they have done, is not as good as a rank rebel, for we know what a rebel is; but we don't know when to put dependence in such men as—I came near mentioning names, but it is unnecessary.

## KOMEWHAT.

No occasion has ever been presented in the history of the nation when the duty of voting was more imperative upon every citizen than it is at present. For the first time in this country has the President attempted to usurp the functions of the legislative branch of the Government, and thereby destroy the only organ of the people through which they express their voices in the legislation of the nation. It is therefore the duty of each and every citizen to so vote on the 6th that the rights of their Congress be sustained.

## ANOTHER VICTORY!

### RAILROAD TRICK A FLASH.

Independent Ticket Repudiated.

IRA C. BUZICK SUSTAINED.

The loyal people came together during Circuit Court, and consulted, discussed, and decided upon the great ineligibility, railroad, independent, humbug question. In arriving at a decision they found, first, that the Conservatives had failed to establish a Johnson party in Holt county, and that their next desire was to create dissatisfaction in the ranks of the Radical party, and if possible, to tear it assunder, and in order to do this they had gone to work denouncing and misrepresenting Mr. Buzick, not on account of any personal objections they had to him, but simply because he was the choice of the party which they wished to destroy. They (the Conservatives) were next found circulating various reports as to Mr. B's eligibility; next the railroad question, and had got the people somewhat aroused on this latter humbug, and upon this an independent candidate was induced to come out, not for any love they had for him, but because he was a somewhat popular man, and would consent to run for Representative against the regular nominee of his party. They found also, a petition for an independent candidate signed by nearly one fourth of the voters of the county, and the reasons given by half of these voters for signing it was as follows: They were told to sign the paper, as it was only a trick to get Dr. E. off the track, that Mr. B. was not eligible and was going to withdraw, that the railroad was going to go up Hickory Creek, if they did not sign it. The people, by these misrepresentations, and being in the habit of signing all papers presented, of course signed that one, and cannot be blamed for it; but they, after these misrepresentations in order to get their names, are not bound nor will not vote that way, but will hold on with an unyielding tenacity to the choice they made when in convention assembled—IRA C. BUZICK. The people "smelt a mouse," detected the fraudulent trick, and have repudiated the independent ticket. They find Dr. Evans has manfully withdrawn from the race and is supporting the whole Convention ticket, by which act he has won for himself lasting honors. They find the County Judges "forinist" independents; they find, in fact, all the county officers against them, including the Board of Registration, and the Holt County Radical Central Committee, with the exception of one. They find the Radical party in favor of their nominee for Representative, and for the whole nominated ticket. They are in favor of the man who, when the issue had been sprung between President Johnson and Congress, mounted the stump, and by his logical argument, his unexcelled eloquence, his indomitable perseverance, and eternal go-a-headativeness, aroused the people from the lethargy they had lapsed into at the close of the war, pointed out to them the danger of inactivity, and admonished them to awake to their own interests. By which he was entirely successful in organizing the party, as the roll of the Radicals, as registered, foot up to over eight hundred, to ninety-two opposition, instead of being divided by that question.

They have decreed that Ira C. Buzick be elected by the Radical party, on next Tuesday, as their Representative in the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, for the term of two years, railroad humbugs or no humbugs, ineligibility or no ineligibility, independent candidates or no independent candidates.

## EUREKA.

### Foregone Conclusion.

That Ira C. Buzick will be elected, as well as the whole ticket nominated by the Radical Convention. That this will be the result, is certain. And why? Because the Radical party is larger in the majority, and the opposite party are all supporting the independent ticket; even our "my policy" Postoffice exerting its heavy influence for the independent ticket. And why is this? Because this is an effort to weaken the opposition to "my policy" in Holt. But the Radical party are not going to cast their votes on next Tuesday in support of (old Andy Johnson's) my policy.

Dr. HOLMES' new story for the Atlantic Monthly called out an offer of \$5,000 from a rival magazine, which was refused.

## For the SENTINEL.

### The Petition.

Much is being said at the present time, and especially by those whose names appear on it, about the petition, which was gotten up by a set of tricksters, to lead honest men astray, that they might accomplish their own mercenary designs. Before the birth of the petition, they preached the necessity of devising some means to get Dr. Evans off the track, and resolved upon this villainous, dishonest method of practicing their deception upon the people to get their names upon it. Since that time, honest men have learned of the deception practiced upon them, and have denounced the petition, and renounced all allegiance to it, and to those who gave it birth. It is well known that an independent candidate drafted the petition, and no one worked harder to get names upon it than he, from the fact that in this way he hoped to strengthen his own cause. Let us see who are against, and who are for this side ticket:

The County Court condemn the ticket, and the course of those who have been instrumental in bringing it before the people.

The officers of Registration, with one exception, are unanimous in its condemnation.

The County Central Committee, (with the exception of the Chairman, who has been led to believe that he is so popular as to be able to beat the nominee of the Radical Union party of Holt,) express an opinion not very complimentary to the bolting ticket, and have sworn allegiance to the ticket nominated at the Convention.

The supporters of these two independent candidates are a class of men who, while men true to the eternal principles of right, truth, and justice, were bravely fighting for the establishment of these principles, stayed at home and "run the thing" to suit themselves, in alliance with the Conservative population of the county. Yes, these are the very men who are the supporters of Mr. K., the very men who are running in opposition to the regular nominees of the Radical party, and whose only hope of success is in the defeat of that ticket.

Every effort, some too mean to be called dishonest, has been used to injure the reputation of Mr. Buzick, and place a stain upon his record, but he has removed all these, and is prepared to remove anything else that may be brought to bear against him.

## OBSERVER.

Two QUESTIONS.—1. Shall the President control Congress, and a mere Executive become the government? 2. Shall the rebels be restored to power, and the gray at last overcome the blue? Democrats and rebels vote aye on both the above. Union men vote nay. —[Kansas City Journal.]

"What a blessing whisky punch would be to the human family if there was no to-morrow morning!" said an old toper who was "enjoying" his customary headache after his night's debauch.

## Candidates.

### FOR CIRCUIT ATTORNEY.

We are authorized to announce Hon. I. C. PARKER, of St. Joseph, present Circuit Attorney, as a candidate for the office of Circuit Attorney for the 12th Judicial Circuit, at the approaching November election.

### FOR STATE SENATOR.

We are authorized to announce Dr. S. M. LUNN, of Nodaway county, as a Radical candidate for State Senator, from this Senatorial District.

### COUNTY CLERK.

We are authorized to announce Capt. ALFRED WALKER, as an independent candidate for the office of County Clerk, at the ensuing November election.

### FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

We are authorized to announce JONAS LAHMER, as an independent candidate for the office of County Treasurer, at the ensuing November election.

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For every Club of 20 subscribers, at same price, we will give any article valued at \$10, for sale by any of the merchants whose advertisements appear in the Sentinel.

For every Club of 15 Subscribers, at same rates, we will give any article of the value of \$7, for sale by any merchant whose advertisement appears in the Sentinel.

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Will find in this Premium List, articles adapted to their every-day wants, and which may be obtained by dint of a little exertion on behalf of the Home Paper, acknowledged to be the BEST in the Northwest. These extraordinary proposals will be kept open only until JANUARY 1st, 1887.

### Opinions of the Press.

As some evidence of the reputation of the Holt County Sentinel, we submit the following expressions from the following papers: "The Holt County Sentinel has completed its first volume, and entered, with favorable prospects, upon its second year of publication. It represents creditably, abroad, the resources of its locality, and appears to be well sustained. Success to it."—[Warsaw Times.]

"The Holt County Sentinel comes to us as we speak, and as speaking as usual. It is an excellent organ of the Holt county Radicals, and deserves a hearty support from them. It never speaks with a 'mealy mouth.' It never 'muffles its ears,' but strikes out vigorously and positively for the right. Its editorials have vim and sense in them; its local items are interesting, and its exhortations are able, rich, and racy. As an advertising medium, the Sentinel offers many advantages. It is read by very many citizens of the upper counties, and reaches those to whom our business men desire to address themselves. It is rapidly marching up into the front ranks of journalism. Success to it, we say, and success to the cause, which is one of the most energetic and enterprising young men in the Northwest."—[St. Joseph Union.]

"The 'Holt County Sentinel,' published at Oregon, Mo., by Chas. W. Bowman, is respectable in size and very creditably made up. The tone of its editorials promises an independent and radically loyal course in politics."—[St. Louis Democrat.]

"The Sentinel is an elegant paper, unexceptionable in typography, and bids fair to be a fine representative for the interests of the enterprising county of Holt, and the beautiful town of Oregon."—[Grand River News.]

"We have received a number of a new, spicy sheet, entitled 'The Holt County Sentinel,' published in Oregon, Mo., by Chas. W. Bowman. We wish the paper success, and cheerfully place it on our exchange list."—[Kansas Jeffersonian.]

"The Sentinel presents a very neat mechanical appearance, and is edited with ability and skill in the interest of the Radical party. May it have success."—[Franklin County (Mo.) News.]

"It is a neat and well conducted newspaper, and espouses strongly in the faith of Radicalism."—[Lexington (Mo.) Advertiser.]

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### Taken Up.

BY Elam Hunter, of Nodaway Township Holt county Mo: 1st, one roan Steer marked with a crop off the right ear, and split in the left ear, about 10 years old and appraised at \$40. 2d, a brown colored Steer with drooped horns, and has a bell on, 10 years old and appraised at \$40. Posted before me this 3d day of Oct. 1886. JOHN S. BRODBECK, J. P. 17-3w